





that Providence would change its nature to suit his interests or convenience; therefore he ought to endeavor to cultivate or to rear what is adapted to the climate, or adapt that climate or the capabilities of the country to his requirements. The latter is his only resource now, or he may be utterly ruined; which can well be ascertained by the following facts:

Now comes the grand question. "Will it pay?" All others merge into this, and are as nothing in comparison—that seems to be the general opinion, again and again repeated. I have heard it said in the most vociferous protest. Much weightier reasons could be advanced: idle time or space permit, for it is hardly possible to stand under the burning sun of this Australian climate without adequate supply of good food and clothing. But the chief reason for crying "No" to this question, which evil will increase just in proportion to the increase of population, &c. But returning to the question, "will it pay?"—"that will be best answered by the return of the emigrants, and the result of their trial, I imagine; for most cultivators know the difference of a full crop of anything, and a half-crop, or, as the case in thousands of places the

years, that from ten to twenty bushels is the yield of wheat per acre, that is not half what good land would yield if irrigated (and of course one would not think of applying it to poor land, that may be left for future generations to improve when they require it); other cereals, grasses, and fruits, and vegetables, would be benefited in a much greater degree, and many things cannot possibly be grown without irrigation, whilst

would turn in a fine profit to cultivators. But the whole matter rests as it were in a nutshell: it is a

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Sir, your most humble servant,  
FREDERICK STALEY.  
Ems, December 5th.

*To the Editor of the Herald.*

ENTIRELY.—The complaints of the North Shore Ferry have great reason for their outpouring, but not precisely in character in demanding from the Government to reduce the wages of the boatmen. In this season of drought their contribution of passengers, if facilitated, would doubtless be an acquisition from their very fertile district, and we on the Sydney shore are also great sufferers for the want of the North Shore ferry. Is it not a fact that there are no boats in this season? That there is no restrictive patronage? Small boats, whose owners have a substance to curse, get a lion's share, while they who would embark in such a speculation are negatived by the enormous wages ~~of the~~ pay. There is abundance of ~~of~~ their own.

leave at three hours, regulated by moonlight. There are few in Sydney who are acquainted with her fertility and wealth as the North Shore; but destitute of energy for their own interests.

I have the honour to be your obedient servant,  
Y<sup>rs</sup> Obedt<sup>t</sup> VANDERKAM.

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**A ROLAND FOR AN OLIVER.**—A Yankee abominably purchased of a pedlar half a bushel of shoe-pegs, and sharply sharpened at one end, and warranted to be the best made; but he found them, on inspection, to be nothing but pine. So careless he was of taking in and being fooled by such cheap and vulgar tricks, he indignantly flung of whistling, he went at them with his knifepoint, and having sharpened the other end, and used these, resold them to the pedlar, on his next trip, for six cents.



How I wish I were a man! How I wish it that in every walk of life there are those who draw the reins of their competitors! It is a very simple and primal notion, not likely to be entertained unless by youthful and unsophisticated minds in remote rural districts, that the man who is serving men Get On the best, to gain any advantage, should be a man who is not bestroved by high-handed patronage, and who has a certain amount of merit. The horse that wins the Derby must unquestionably be able to gallop at a very great pace. Of course, if the Derby prize were given to the horse that might be called the "best horse with only three legs." And there are places in the Church and the Law which are filled up by unchecked patronage, and in which a perfectly analogous matter may be disconcerted. It would be insulting some of the most deserving men who were placed where they are because they were the least eligible, or even because they were fit to be placed there at all. You may have known instances in which a man has been a certain place, because he was the worst man, or one who was the least that could be found. But even in cases where the same man is not arbitrarily given; where it is understood to be earned by the man himself, and not allotted to him without notice, that the best man should win the place, the winner of the Derby must be able to gallop, and must be nine times out of ten he is by no means the best horse that starts. He is a rival in starting; an untrained horse, a bad place in career; the awkward straining of a muscle, a bad place in judgment of the jockey who rides him, and the horse is beaten by a very inferior one, more lucky or more handled. I am obliged to say, as the result of all this, that human beings of the way in which human beings Get On, that human beings Get On by chance, or luck. I use the words in their ordinary sense. I mean, that human beings Get On or fail to Get On.

The chance (as already explained) which rules events in this life never appears more decidedly than in making the diligent efforts of some men successful, and the indolence of others to remain unsuccessful. Men use, thinking to advance themselves, the same means; these arts often tend directly to that end; but then chance comes in to say whether these arts shall signally fail or splendidly succeed. I have known a man who wrote up many pages for the Greek for examination: all his pages now thorough, or three which were hastily read over. And upon the examination-day, sure enough he was taken upon the pages he did not know well; while his competitor, who wrote but a few pages, and was taken by heart, had never looked at them; but he trusted his luck, and it did not fail him.

It may be assumed as certain, that all men would be successful, if they were not so much hindered. I understand, you may have observed that a man would take a fare if he could get it. And a man, in all ordinary cases, by entering any profession, becomes a cab upon the station waiting for a fare. If he has no fare, he is idle. On the first day, if a fare is granted that is but a poor one, he will not be satisfied. And though we may have quite outgrown our early ambitions; though we may never have had much ambition; though we may be quite contented with what we have, yet we are not satisfied with what we all like to get On. We do not but to have more than the case of commonplace folk like ourselves; and though the "love of fame" has been called the passion of the age, I believe that it is practically confined within the circle of mankind. We call it ambition when Mr. Disraeli goes to the House of Commons, or when Napoleon twists his way to a throne. We do not call it ambition when a young lady goes to a large congregation to preach, or to another congregation to hear of income. And naming this matter, let me interpose the plain advice, which will be intelligible to various readers,—May the Lord Justice-Clerk live a thousand years! But we do not wish to be ambitious of such things; it is only that people would like to get On. We do not think that we are Getting On; that we live in a better state than we used to do; that our little library is gradually growing; that our worldly means are improving; that we are wiser and better than we used to be. But though we are not ambitious of such things, we would like to get On. We may be assured that there are many who would not take much trouble to get On. Their wishes are moderate; they have learned to be contented with what they have.

to his brother, who secretly blames those who set on loose motives. "I have heard," said the bishop, "that you taught me theology in your youth, with a certain view to the world, and I see that he has made his son a canon in his cathedral. I notice, without indignation, that the individual who has been so successful in lucrative office of associate in or partner in the law, has been a chief-justice. You have heard how Lord Ellenborough was once out riding on horseback, when word was brought him of the death of a man who held a substantial share of the revenue of some thousands of acres. Lord Ellenborough, who was then about thirty years of age, was immediately despatched to the spot, and to that office. He instantly resolved to appoint him. But the thought struck him that he might be charged with reaching home: he might fall from his horse, or the like. He accordingly sent a servant from his pocket a piece of paper and a quill pen, and then and there wrote upon his saddle a formal appointment of his son to that wealthy place. And he was so cautious, that he did not give a hint to a woman, who should demand to be given, and to whom he might be lucky enough to get it, if he did not. And that Lord Ellenborough deserved to be greatly blamed in consequence, his son, as he quarterly pocketed the large sum that was sent him, was doubly and trebly the blame of mankind as a son of a little man."

But whether you get on by having friends who do you up, or by having friends who can materially assist you, of course it is your luck to have such a friend. But what is it that is the seed of a vice?" that makes a man so miserably poor, and an estate. And though trumpeting to be great and powerful, still your luck comes in to say whether the trumpet shall in your case be successful. Of course, if you are a miser, getting on is impossible; and equally desecrating, and so on, in a vulgar manner.

As regards the attainment of very great and unusual wealth, by business or the like, it is very hard to say how much there is of luck. A certain degree of business talent is of course necessary, in the man who is to rise from nothing to enormous wealth; but it is Providence that gives the man the great prize; for other men with just as much aptitude and industry entirely fail. Talent and industry may make sure, unless in very extraordinary circumstances, of a comfortable and useful life; but the prizes which shall make four hundred thousand dollars are given by Providence. The race is not to the swift, nor the battle to the strong, nor riches to men of understanding; that is the great difficulty, namely, to be justly in proportion to our understanding. Trickery and guile will get men all kinds of good, but they will not get them the great wealth. I shall not say, however, that Providence will not give to some instances which will occur to every one.

**THE ALLEGED GAIN OF LANCASHIRE  
MANUFACTURERS.**  
(From the Spectator, September 6.)

As to the charges against the manufacturers of pornography and wanton obscenity, I am not sure because they do not subscribe so largely to this. Fund as the *Times* reporter thinks they ought, say boldly that it is simply unwarrantable and putting aside a few cases—for among this large body, there are some unworthy and some who have been subscribed last year, I have been because they know that they are not good by so doing at the present conjuncture. I question about which they have far better than judging than the *Times*, or because, being prepared when necessary to support their own views, they know that they can do this far more effectively, and beneficially than any religious minority in the country.

It is, we believe, the simple truth, that the subscriptions in Lancashire have, in many cases, unwisely and prematurely lavished in a way renders the operatives reluctant to accept the time work still offered them in many mills; and the conviction of many of the most public-spirited millowners that the means which they and their control may be very much more wisely expended for the purposes of private benevolence.

We would be the last to apologise for any want of generosity in any class—most of all in the class which has won all its wealth by the trade in question. But we sincerely believe that, without any test, the private munificence and personal generosity of the manufacturers will not be found wanting. They may stand aloof from premature claims, but they will pour out their gains freely in employment and remunerative labour.

INDIGENOUS AND CONSIDERABLE SWINDLING. The Tribunal of Correctional Police recently tried Leluyau, on several charges of fraud, including by eating at the expense, without means of paying, the keeper of the prison of Colombia, said: "The prisoner entered the prison last week and called for wine, bread, coffee, sugar, cigarettes, food of Mexico, the Pope, a glass of Prusian, and a glass of wine. I had seen the Prusian!" When asked: "Why, him who has come to live at the expense of the refugee, a conspirator, who wanted to see the death of the president?" He then told a long story of conspiracy in question, which I end my story. I heard with the utmost attention. All that he said was very interesting, but I did not believe, and the rest than ran out of the prison, and, when returning, we found that he had indeed disappeared without paying his bill. He had been in the same manner only an hour later in the day. In his defence, the prisoner had said: "I had dined at two houses, as he did not want to be considered a conspirator, and he was on his part, the tribunal did not find sufficient excuse for his conduct, and he was sentenced him to four months' imprisonment."

**PERISHABLE STONE.**—To the scepticism to which the stone suggests the idea of imperishability; that marble, sandstone, and granite have their peculiarities of susceptibility to decay, and that there is no stone so hard or so immune in its obduracy as the Egyptian gneiss or later, pierce it, and the unreliability of the same austere personage will crumble in powder. Granite has the reputation of being the stone of granite is the world (that of Egypt), exhibits the most varied and the most complete blocks of abrasion and disintegration. The influences alone, which have occurred since the time when the workmen of the Pharaohs cut it out for pyramids and obelisks. It is not the stone of granite for a memorial obelisk of Prince of that no granite could be found which could be predicated to carry his memory down to posterity. We might have Egyptian architecture that is like the Egyptian has the old Egyptian architecture. We had an Egyptian temple, in the gallery of the British Museum, the little sculptures from the Nile have been taken from the lapse of centuries, they are apt to be like the dry, pure, braising air of the Hades preserved in the Egyptian climate, and so softest than any climate in the world, and the softest stone is there almost as safe as the provided the hands of the spoiler are kept ignorant Turks and Arabs may pull down the obelisk, and travellers may see the obelisk off the nose of a sphinx. The atmosphere there has no corroding influence of the work of the sculptor is as good as an immortality as the palm-tree which never dies.

HIGHWAYMEN IN LONDON STREET YEARS distinguished person now dead was sitting study in Bolton-street, when he heard a groan and ran to see what it was; he saw a mounted highwayman had robbed a gentleman, Piccadilly, and galloped down Bolton-street, crowded behind him, who hoped to catch him at the walls of Lindsdown Gardens. To the surprise of every one, the highwayman started down the street free of all pursuit, and escaped by a step to the further side, and rode on through Berkeley-square beyond the reach of his pursuers. And is it a vain recurrence of such an escape that recalls which we now see were placed at the end and exit of this narrow passage. — *City Press*

**PADDY OFFERS FAIR.**—A gentleman considerably said that he had three fine daughters, and he should give \$10,000 each, and no one could come forward to marry them. "With my doctor," said an Irishman who was present, "I'll be up and making a respectful bow, I'll tell them."



## METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN AT 9 A.M.

**INSOLVENCY COURT.**  
**THURSDAY.**  
**FORFEITURE.**—Charles W. Jellison, of Watford, was reported by the Commissioner of Insolvency, for non-payment of rent, \$230 15 100. *James M. Mackenzie, official assignee.*

**MEETINGS OF CREDITORS.**  
 Monday, December 10.—George Smith, special, for examination.  
 Anna M. Webster, creditor, postponed (bald).  
 Tuesday, 11.—Crosby and Co., adjourned meeting, for proof of indebtedness by the Commission of Insolvency.  
 Wednesday, 12.—Charles Gardiner, assignee of the estate of James A. Kingsley, third. Elizabeth M. Robert, named assignee, for proof of indebtedness by the Commission of Insolvency.  
 Thursday, 13.—James M. Mackenzie, official assignee of the estate of James A. Kingsley, single. At *Southard*: James A. Kingsley, for proof of indebtedness by the Commission of Insolvency.  
 Friday, 14.—Kennedy, special, for examination.  
 Saturday, 15.—Newman and McQuir, adjourned special, for proof of indebtedness by the Commission of Insolvency.  
 Sunday, 16.—Seng Tsun and Shing, bankrupt. Packman, special, for proof of indebtedness by the Commission of Insolvency.  
 Monday, 17.—Crosby and Co., special, for proof of debt. At *Albany*: James M. Mackenzie, official assignee.  
 Tuesday, 18.—Robert Lloyd, special, for proof of debt. At *Albany*: James M. Mackenzie, official assignee.

Wednesday, 17.—John M'Donnell, Charles St. Julian, John  
Friday, 19.—J. Broadhead; Stephen Pappas, Chicago.  
Saturday, 20.—William J. Jackson, Chicago.  
Wednesday, 24.—Elizabeth M. Bickert, Samuel Ashes, St. J.  
St. Catharine.—James James, Alfred Bickert, third.

CERTIFICATEE MEETINGS.

Monday, 2.—Christopher Connolly, Robert Lean, Lake Grove  
Young, Richard Rose Lardner, William W. May, Henry Mac-  
naman. Alexander Williamson, John Beaton, John May,  
John McNeill, John McNeill, John McNeill, John McNeill,  
Friday, 16.—Neil M'Kinnon, James William May, Robert Mac-  
Donald, J. Doyle, Walter Munroe, John Cameron.  
Saturday, 20.—George Hume Harber, George Bragg, Robert  
Howard, William Park, George Bragg, James Smith,  
Monday, 23.—Charles Daniel O'Connell.  
George Buchanan, James Wilson, Solomon Kerk.

**CENTRAL POLICE COURT.**  
SATURDAY.  
Before the Mayor and the Police Magistrate.  
Three persons apprehended for drunkenness were dis-  
charged. Six others were fined 10s. each for being dis-  
turbing forty-eight hours' imprisonment, on conviction of  
borderly or riotous conduct in public places; one was  
sentenced to be imprisoned fourteen days, on conviction of  
being induced in obtaining language; a man was sen-  
tenced to be imprisoned fourteen days, and a woman to be  
imprisoned seven days, on conviction of having been ob-  
scenely exposed before their persons. A prisoner charged  
with larceny from the person was discharged, and another charged with  
obtaining money by false pretences was also discharged.

**THE POOL-BOX.**—Received: From P. F. £1; change; expenses upon cattle from police paddock, 51 sh. Collected three persons.

**THE ROOSTERS.**—On Tuesday, December 5, Messrs. Marple, Tux, Eossey, and Pease, T. D. Jones, J. Messrs. Hogg, Lewis, Levy, and J. H. Ross; Wednesday, 6, Messrs. McDowell, G. Hill, Neale, and Armitage; Thursday, 7, Messrs. Speer, Lewis, and Birrell; Friday, 13, Messrs. Cooper, Cook, and Smithers; Saturday, 13, Mr. Burdick.

**WATER POLICE COURT.**  
SATURDAY.  
BEFORE THE Water Police Magistrate.  
Patrick Maloney, ADDRESSES: 10, Arden-st.,

George-street, was admonished and discharged. Mackenzie in  
ROSTER.—Monday, December 8th, Mr. J. Caldwell, Mr.  
Shoebart, Mr. J. B. Smithers: Tuesday 9th, Mr.  
H. Elwell, Mr. J. W. Jones, Mr. B. Hill; Wednesday 10th,  
J. B. Burdakin, Mr. W. Deane, Mr. J. B. Bond; Thurs-  
day 11th, Mr. S. Lyons, Mr. J. P. Rayner; Friday  
12th, Friday 13th, Mr. M. M. Cohen, Mr. G. Raiting,  
Mr. F. Skinner; Saturday 13th, Mr. T. C. Brinell.

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**TRIM PAPER FOR FOURTH TERM.**  
MONDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1862.

NOTES FOR JUDGMENT.—Mackenzie v. Barker, Koss v. Tye,  
partis Blandy in the cause of the above named parties.  
CAUTIONS, &c.—Burt v. Goydner, to refer bill to prothonotary for  
filing.

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served criminal case.  
 Arrived on Rules Nine.—Onus v. Powell, Tucker and others  
 v. Godfrey, Moss v. Godfrey, Moss v. Godfrey, Moss v.  
 Godfrey, De Comas v. Frost and another, Tatnell v. Peto and  
 another.  
 TRIAL MOTIONS.—Brenan v. Russell, Dibbs v. Newcastle  
 and Company, Reagan v. Patterson.  
 MASTER'S OFFICE.—Rodd v. Hickey, defendant's discharge;  
 defendant's examination; Kierdas v. Hoffer, motion;  
 William Milford's costs, and William Legg, taxation.  
 SYDNEY DISTRICT COURT.  
 CAUSES FOR TRIAL.  
 18 Purchase v. Taylor 5099 Same v. Jones  
 14 Collins v. Shaw 5099 Same v. Clarke  
 16 Dalton v. Want 5099 Same v. Brady  
 17 Johnson v. Free 5099 Same v. Brady

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Thus certain topics which had been brought on the tapis, and which were of great importance to the community, were not discussed. The chief informant tells me that Wm. Thompson got up and said: "I have a proposition to make to you, my friends, and I am sure that you will all agree with me. I propose that we enter Waikato; we must not allow a bridge over the river to be constructed; we must not allow the road now made to be widened; neither must we allow the road now made to be widened to cross the Waikatoa."—"In which all were unanimous." It is said that Thompson merely put this proposition forward, and that it is a fact that he did not wish to extricate himself from the position in which he placed himself, that he would not hesitate to do so; but there is the difficulty—he cannot well withdraw from the league, being, I may say, the first to put forward the proposition.

Thus, Thompson, finding the majority were opposed to his proposition, and that he was not likely to succeed in having it settled by arbitration, gave his vote with the

portly, which, I am sorry to say, does not look like a  
solution of the Tarsanaki difficulty. I may have  
been mistaken in assuming that the Tarsanaki had  
been removed from Wafars, they might possibly enter into some  
arrangement. Bishop Selwyn, who was present,  
told them that the purpose of his visit there was to under-  
stand to get the Tarsanaki question settled in a just and  
friendly manner, and that he would feel all his good wishes  
for the success of the mission. He then said that he would  
avail. An allusion was made to the letter sent by Sir  
George Grey to Maitland, which appears to have given  
offence; still, many of them can see how just  
and reasonable is his Excellency's view of the  
matter, are, anything like the Tarsanaki, these like dis-  
cussions they are utterly opposed to; hence, I fear, and feel  
much regret in saying so, that a peaceful solution of affairs

or as of an ever—(probably farther)—W. Kings, the  
 the Government, and the people, and the people, and the people,  
 near Bangor, Wales, says that so far as the road, which  
 being carried on at Taneraki reaches a block of his land,  
 his intervenes between Government land and the Tala-  
 naka block, that it will be opposed; consequently we  
 are aware that we may be driven to the necessity of  
 such a one our unpopularity, and much I solemnly  
 determined forbearance of Sir George Grey, and  
 unceasing endeavours to bring things to a  
 useful termination. I very much fear that more  
 will be necessary to be adopted than I have  
 may be. I trust that whenever Sir George Grey  
 takes to settle the very difficult question, that he will  
 have one colonist to dissent from any measure he may

time it prudent to adopt, knowing the arduous work awaiting them. He said that the time it is to be hoped that a settlement, one way or the other, will not be deferred too long. The Manungatari chief, Te Hori Hori, has sent a letter to Sir George Grey, inviting him up. But why has not Thompson been sent? He is a very capable man, and would be of use to Sir George to come so far? My humble opinion is, he has been, and is now, that if a meeting be wished for by Thompson, Manungatari would appear to be the most fitting place for such an assembly, for more reasons than one. It is a place where the Maori people are being brought to strengthen the King movement. I have frequently mentioned that the Maories have very bad advisers, and I think some are living amongst them. The native are very

**MERCANTILE AND MONEY ARTICLES.** Saturday.

Amount of Customs duties paid during 1905—		follows:—	
Bready	.....	.....	\$20 12 6
Coffee	.....	.....	27 13 6
Oil	.....	.....	10 12 6
Whisky	.....	.....	10 12 6
Rum	.....	.....	10 12 6
All other spirits	.....	.....	10 12 6
Wine	.....	.....	10 12 6
Alc, porter, and beer (in bottles)	.....	.....	1 12 6
Tobacco and cigars	.....	.....	194 18 6
Tea	.....	.....	81 3 6
Sugar (unrefined)	.....	.....	10 12 6
Flotage	.....	.....	6 2 6
<b>Total</b>			<b>\$563 17 6</b>

Meers. W. Dean and Co. will offer by auc-

on Monday (this day) the cargo of Manila  
gare and cigare ex Jacobus.

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# DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

**TO CARCASS BUTCHERS.**—At noon of MONDAY, the 10th December, will be sold by public auction, by Messrs. ALLAN and HILLS, at their Rooms, 143, Pitt-street, the Undermentioned Lots of Slaughterhouse and Refreshment Room, Glebe Island, offered for sale on the 10th instant.

The said lease will commence on the 1st day of January, and terminate on the 31st day of December following. The upset price for each beef slaughterhouse will be at the rate of £150 per annum, and £75 for each mutton slaughterhouse, and for the refreshment room £100 per annum.

At the option of the lessee, the rent for the whole period may be paid in advance, or otherwise a bond in double the amount of the rent will be required for the due fulfilment of each lessee's engagements, together with two responsible sureties.

A warrant of attorney will also be required.

Further information may be obtained on application to the Engineer-in-Chief for Harbours and Rivers, Phillip-street, or to the Inspector, Glebe Island.

W. M. ARNOLD.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

**TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND SUPPLIES.**—Tenders are invited for the following Public Works and Supplies. For full particulars see GOVERNMENT GAZETTE, a file of which is kept at every police office in the colony.

No tender will be taken into consideration unless the name of the work for which it is intended be written on the cover.

**Nature of Works and Supplies.**

Sinking Well, &c., Customs Station, Botany Bay, 12 o'clock noon, on Tuesday, 9th December.

Supply of Railway Stacks, 1863, 12 o'clock noon, on Tuesday, 9th December.

Supply of Furniture for Money Order Office, George-street, Sydney, 12 o'clock noon, on Tuesday, 9th December.

Supply of a Fine Old Safe for Money Order Office, Sydney, 12 o'clock noon, on Tuesday, 9th December.

Supply of Wrought Iron Girders for the Nepean Bridge, 12 o'clock noon, on Tuesday, 9th December.

Erection of a Police Station at Burrows, 12 o'clock noon, on Tuesday, 9th December.

W. M. ARNOLD.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

**LEASE OF TOLL-GATE.**—At noon of MONDAY, the 10th December, will be submitted for sale by public auction, by Messrs. ALLAN and HILLS, at their Rooms, 143, Pitt-street, the lease of the toll-gate, Glebe Island Bridge.

The said lease will commence on the 1st day of January, 1863, and terminate on the 31st day of December following.

The lessee will be required to execute a bond in double the amount of the rent, and to find two responsible sureties for the due fulfilment of his engagements.

A warrant of attorney will also be required.

Further information may be obtained on application to the Engineer-in-Chief for Harbours and Rivers, Phillip-street, or to the Inspector of Abattoirs, Glebe Island.

W. M. ARNOLD.

## THE TREASURY, NEW SOUTH WALES.

**COUNTRY DISTRICTS.**—(Sections 2, 3, and 4.) The Contract for the supply of the various articles required in the Police District of Maitland, commencing on the 1st day of January, 1863, and terminating on the 31st day of December, 1863, is hereby given, that TENDERS will be received at this Office, until noon of TUESDAY, the 9th of next month, from parties willing to supply the various articles required between the 1st of January and 31st March, 1863, under the conditions expressed in the notice above referred to.

R. C. WEEKS.

## THE TREASURY, NEW SOUTH WALES.

**SYDNEY.**—(Section 2.)—The Contract for furnishing the various articles required in the Police District of Sydney, commencing on the 1st day of January, 1863, and terminating on the 31st day of December, 1863, is hereby given, that TENDERS will be received at this Office, until noon of TUESDAY, the 9th of next month, from parties willing to supply the various articles required between the 1st of January and 31st March, 1863, under the conditions expressed in the notice above referred to.

R. C. WEEKS.

## THE TREASURY, NEW SOUTH WALES.

**TO THE SINKERS, ENGRAVERS, &c.**—TENDERS will be received at this Office, until noon of WEDNESDAY, the 17th December, from parties willing to contract to supply the Post Office Department with such Seal Dated Stamps, Obsolete Stamps, Brass Office Seals, and Steel Office Seals, as may be required during the year 1863, and to keep in repair during the same period all the Stamps and Seals belonging to the Department, or in any way connected with postal service.

Tenders must specify the price they require for each kind of article to be furnished, and the specific sum (by the job) for which they will contract to repair stamps and seals that may get out of order during the year, and the price they will charge for each separate type that may be required for the Dated Stamps to render them complete.

Full particulars will be given on application, and the probable nature of the repairs required, and the number of type that will be required, can be obtained by applying to the Secretary to the General Post Office.

Stamps, Seals, and Type also repaired, must be according to sample, will be subject to the approval of the Postmaster-General, and must be supplied within fourteen days from the date of their being ordered.

The Contractor will be required to enter, conjointly with two sureties to be approved of, into a bond to the amount of £200, for the due performance of his contract.

R. C. WEEKS.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

**TOLLS AND FERRY.**—The Tolls and Dues to be taken at the undermentioned Tolls and Ferry, will be sold by public auction, at noon, on the days mentioned, at the following places:—

**TOLLS.**

**FERRY.**

**NAME OF TOLL AND FERRY.**

**AMOUNT.**

**DATE OF SALE.**

**PLACE OF SALE.**

**DAY OF SALE.**

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